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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated February 23, 2007 , the following remarks
are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes: Remarks.

The Applicants elect, with traverse, Group II, claims 11-14.